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## MANY COMMITTEES, NO LEGISLATION

Santa Fe, N. M., May 21.—Last night Speaker Baca just prior to adjournment of the first night session of the present legislative house, named his big committee on investigation, consisting of twenty-nine members and his steering committee consisting of nine members including himself. The appointment of these two committees was received with outbursts of rage on the part of Mr. Catron and Mr. Blanchard and with applause on the part of the speaker's supporters. Everything indicates that the veteran politician, W. H. Andrews, is the guiding hand behind this latest move which has for its object the perpetuation of the committee on ways and means in power and the maintenance of an organization in the house which will last until the next session in January.

The members of the investigation committee are as follows:

M. J. De Baca, chairman; Miguel E. Baca, Burg, Carter, Campbell, Casados, Chaves, Chrisman, Clancy, Cooney, Cordova, Evans, Gage Garcia, Gurule, Labadie, Llewellyn, Lopez, Love, Lucero, Manzanares, Martinez, Moreno, Mullens, Nichols, Smith Trojillo, House and Tucker.

The steering committee is as follows:

Llewellyn, chairman, Labadie, Clancy, Cooney, Mullens, Gurule, Campbell, Love and Speaker Baca.

A careful analysis of this new combination discloses the fact that if the speaker makes this deal stick he will have eight more votes to support him than he had in the committee on ways and means. He will not have weakened his committee on ways and means which still controls the house. His steering committee can always come to the relief of the committee on ways and means whenever that organization gets tangled up on any of the bills.

What the steering committee does and what the committee on ways and means does are two entirely separate things and neither can be held responsible for the acts of the other. In other words the steering committee will always be ready to clear the track for the committee on ways and means.

The indications now are stronger than ever that there will be little or no legislation at this session.

It is exceedingly doubtful from the outlook today if even a finance bill will eventually get by both the senate and the house. There appears to be nothing but politics in the air. The action of the house last night has revived the talk that Mr. Auerwies is still after the senatorship stronger than ever and that he proposes to keep Mr. Fall bottled up at this session and the next session. So long as this committee of thirty maintains its power Mr. Fall has absolutely no chance and his supporters know it.

## MOUNTAINAIR

E. M. Norris of Clovis is visiting Dr. Black.

Sheriff Julius Meyer is in town on official business.

Mr. Crate, representing the De Laval Cream Separator, made an interesting demonstration on the street Saturday afternoon, and sold two machines.

Mrs. J. E. Veal has been appointed resident corsetiere for The Spirella Co. of Meadville, Pa.

J. D. Tinsley, agriculturist expert, in the colonization department of the A. T. & S. F. Co., left Sunday morning for Albuquerque. He came over in his car and spent last week here. He addressed the farmers in the rural districts each evening and spoke to a large crowd Saturday afternoon on the P. O. corner. Mr. Tinsley talked to the point and told the farmers what they must do if they desire to make good in this country. They must make silos, and prepare to feed from five to ten cows, have stock, and pigs and chickens. We have no bean, corn, nor wheat market, but we do have a cash market for all the meat, cream, butter and eggs we can produce. He has the promise of a car load of fine cows for this community and will give them to those who want them and are able to care for them. A silage crop is sure here every year. Our people must take advantage of this opportunity. It means the making of our country. Those who get busy now—digging silos and putting in crops will soon have a bank account.

Some of our citizens are agitating for the auto road from Albuquerque. We will have to build the road from Sals to Mountainair. This can be done probably, for one hundred dollars as the road is good most of the distance. This road will tap the trans-continental road and connect with it, east of Willard. This will be a point from which side trips can be made to the

various ruins and places of interest near here. It will mean much to our town and community and we must have the road. Let us sacrifice, if need be, to put Mountainair on the map.

## Mount Galvary

People are still moving things out our way, crops look fine, and orchards are in full bloom.

Mr. J. F. Byrd the mill man bought some time ago, some land on the lower part of the Manzano Grant in Mestania Draw, and built a nice house, a windmill and about forty acres of land in good state of cultivation and has part of the machinery on the ground to irrigate his land. The water will be taken out of the draw. Mr. Byrd will soon have a valuable place.

Henderson Imboden got his collar bone broken one day last week, the cause a horse fell on him. We heard that he is doing well at present.

Mr. Lee Cummings was in our neighborhood Sunday.

Mr. Armstrong spent Sunday eve with Mr. Demless and family.

Mrs. Jessie went over to the Chapman neighborhood Sunday evening.

George Crosser and Will Edwards will start to Espanola, N. M. this morning to get work.

Marian Dye Miss Ruth Corny, John Ingle and Miss Mirtle McDonald come out to Miss Della Means Sunday afternoon in their auto to spend the eve. Candy and cake were served, and all seemed to enjoy themselves.

Messrs. Frank and Charlie Daniels, Will Edwards and Lum Means have returned from an outing in the Mountains. They had a nice time, and we are all looking for that big rain to come.

Mrs. Mullens visited Mrs. Wimsatt Sunday.

Mr. Irwin Sharpless and Miss Alea Duff went out to the ball game Sunday eve at Mountainair.

If our people would just stop and think of the great disasters else where they would be more happy than they are. Think of the millions are starving in China, and hundreds being feed by Uncle Sam in the United States caused by floods and storms. Just think of it Brother. When we can enjoy the pure water, pure air and the good health. Let us count our blessings one by one.

STRAYED—Small mouse colored mule, black stripe back and shoulders, little white in face. Reward—O. W. Bay, Estancia.

STRAYED—Sorrel mare, white strip in face, brand JS on right thigh. Notify at my expense; will pay all charges.—C. D. Ogier, Tajique.

## GHASTLY FIND AT CARLSBAD

Carlsbad, N. M., May 20.—This city is stirred up over the finding of a body buried in the sands at the San Simeon ranch, east of here. So emaciated is the corpse that it is impossible to distinguish identity except that he was a young man of medium size.

The man was buried in his underclothes, his clothes having been burned a few feet from the burying hole. Eddy county officials are making an investigation.

## LOCAL ITEMS

### Wednesday

John Gunter returned today from San Marcial, where he has been teaching school.

A petition is in circulation for the appointment of P. A. Speckmann as justice of the peace vice C. B. Howell, resigned.

Josepa L. Booze, has received notice that he won his contest on Lots 1 2 3 4, Sec. 1, Township 5 N., Range 6 E., and made his filing today.

Mrs. E. N. Peden and daughter will leave about the first of June for an eastern trip. They will visit relatives in several states.

Lost a pair of nose glasses, one spring wrapped with black thread. Reward. Send to Messenger, Moriarty.

Wanted, a gasoline stove.—Jersey Ice Cream Parlor.

Right Rev. John T. Pitival, Archbishop of the Catholic Church of this diocese, will be here Sunday, June 2nd, to confirm a large class of children of the Catholic faith.

W. W. Richards discovered on his ranch the other day a plant that is new to him. The top looks like strap-leaf dock, while the root bears a bunch of tubers closely resembling yellow sweet potatoes. Monte Goodin has a Spanish name for the plant and says it is dug extensively in southwestern Texas, the tuber being used in tanning.

Eugenio Romero, who was slightly injured last week while alighting from a train at Lamy, is up and around again.

A car of lumber is being loaded by the Estancia Lumber Co., to be shipped to Stanley.

## TEDDY AND HARMON LEAD IN OHIO

Columbus, Ohio, May 21.—With little more than one-third of the vote in the state counted at 1 o'clock this morning, Colonel Roosevelt's delegates on the Republican ticket and Governor Harmon on the Democratic preference ballot, led Ohio's presidential preference primary.

The fight on both sides was so close, however, that complete returns may change the final results.

Complete returns from slightly less than 2,000 precincts of 5,192 in the state, showed that Colonel Roosevelt's delegates had a lead of more than 15,000 votes. Governor Harmon's lead over Woodrow Wilson was much less than this.

Of the congressional districts Col. Roosevelt has apparently won the delegates in the 4th, 6th, 9th, 10th, 11th, 12th, 14th, 15th, 17th, 18th, 19th, 20th and 21st districts. President Taft practically has been granted the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, probably the 5th, 7th, 8th and 13th. The 16th remained in doubt, both sides claiming it.

Roosevelt supporters also claim two or three of the districts listed by Mr. Taft.

## CAN'T MAKE ENDS MEET

Santa Fe, N. M., May 21.—It is apparent that the senate is not in any great hurry about rushing through a multitude of measures, for when it adjourned yesterday afternoon, after a brief session, it was until this afternoon at 3 o'clock. The members of the senate committees, however, are busily engaged in work upon some important measures. The judiciary committee has been working over the criminal code, which is recommended by the State Bar association, and the finance committee is losing sleep over its efforts to make both ends meet in a finance bill.

"Every time we review the appropriations," said Chairman Clark, "we slice off a little more, and still the amount is entirely too large for the best income we possibly can anticipate."

Closing out millinery sale at Pace's millinery store. All goods will be sold at a big discount. If you want millinery at less than wholesale cost, come at once. Sale begins Saturday.